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VIRGINIA'S TWO SENATORS.

Daniel and Barbour introduce a Number of Bills in the Senate.

IT LOOKS LIKE SPRINGER NOW.

Reported That he Will Certainly be Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee.—Washington News.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—(Special)—There was another rush of bills in the Senate to-day. Daniel and Barbour introduced bills, memorials and petitions in batches and bundles, nine-tenths of them being old measures long familiar to Congress.

Senator Daniel introduced a bill to make Arlington a park and to provide for the construction of a bridge leading to it across the Potomac from Washington. It also introduced a bill for the erection of a public building at Petersburg, Va., to cost \$100,000, and a bill providing for the erection of a national monument to George Washington at Fredericksburg, appropriating \$20,000; also for the erection of a monument to Andrew Lewis, at Salem, Va.

Mr. Daniel also introduced a bill to repeat that section of the revised statute which prohibits any person who aided or abetted the Confederate cause from holding official position in the United States army or navy.

He also reintroduced the bill to purchase the patent of all arms and ammunition of the Union army, the bill introduced by Dr. H. H. Wharton, also a bill referred to John St. John, late collector at Norfolk, \$1,332,36, the amount taken from his office by employees.

Senator Barbour introduced a bill, the purpose of which reaches into the secret inner workings of the Oregon territory.

It was introduced by the agent of Mark Davis, a local citizen then residing at Petersburg, Va., personal property consisting of fifty-five proofs and forty notes valued at \$6,838.25, and local currency amounting to \$2,750; the certain amount of which was remitted to him from the real estate. The bill directs payment for a tract of land in Fairfax county taken by the Government. He also introduced a bill to repossess the property of the State of North Carolina, and also reintroduced the bill to pay the local citizens of Loudon county for property taken from them during the war. This bill embraces several hundred claims.

Mr. Barbour also introduced a bill to pay the Potowmack Company \$100,000 for the damage the company did to the steamer "Excelsior," which was enroute Hampton Roads by collision with the United States tug "Fortune." It is believed that the "Fortune" was to blame, and that the Government should reimburse the steamer company and return the "Excelsior."

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SEVEN COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS.

At the House was not in session the Democratic members devoted themselves to seeking committee assignments from the Speaker and permanent from the newly-elected officers. The entire day was spent in this way.

The House officers have agreed upon the quota of paragraphs belonging to some of the Houses particularly those whose delegations are working hard. For instance, West Virginia has a quota of one-half, and passage of our docket keepers or messengers as they are termed on the floor, and one assistant index clerk.

On this basis Virginia ought to get at least seven places, but it seems that the delegation has not yet agreed on any arrangement with regard to this.

There are numerous applicants for positions under the House from Virginia. For the position of reading clerk, among them are three applicants. They are Mr. Pendleton Pease of Franklin county, Mr. Williamson Norton of the Eighth district. There has been one committee of the delegation at which Clark Kerr heard all the applicants read and before deciding he will probably have another.

John G. Harrell has accepted an invitation from the Atlanta Masonic Lodge of Atlanta, Georgia, to deliver a lecture on the life, character, and services of the late General Robert E. Lee on the 10th of next January, anniversary of the birth of that illustrious hero. After having agreed that invitation Colonel O'Leary, chairman of the Atlanta Committee for raising the steamer "Excelsior" to the same partner from the R. E. Lee, and the Robert Camp of Confederate Veterans at Richmond. To the latter he was forced to reply that he had already accepted the Atlanta invitation and was so regretful that he could not meet his Atlanta brethren that he would not withdraw.

In Georgia the anniversary of general Lee's birth is a holiday throughout the State.

WILL SPRINGER IS LEADER.

The report to-day is that Mr. Springer will certainly be chairman of Ways and Means. If Speaker Crisp has determined this question he keeps it very close secret, but still it is asserted with a great deal of positiveness that Mr. Springer will be honored with the position. Some of Mr. Springer's friends say that he will be most active in his behalf for Speaker, are outspoken in opposition to tendering Mr. Mills the chairmanship. They declare that one of the issues of the speakerhip canvass was to break up the Ways and Means combine, which they say ruled.

Some of the reports that Mr. Springer is sure to be put at the head of Ways and Means come from pretty close to the Speaker.

Friends of Mr. Mills say he would not accept the position if tendered him, as he does not care to bear the responsibility of leading a House that has no leader.

Several delegates to-day undertook to joke ex-Speaker Reed about his portrait recently hung in the House lobby along with those of others who have been Speaker. Mr. Reed, in his dry, faultless repartee that always goes over well, said:

"I am a good man, and you are a bad man."

Mr. Reed will be remembered as holding such successful review services at the Army and Navy yard and the largest that have ever occurred.

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on Railroads during the second session of the last Congress. The bill is amended, by changing the date, so as to make them conform to the corresponding difference in time and reduces from 1½ to 1 per cent the interest on the unpaid debt.

Senator Bier introduced a joint resolution authorizing \$500,000 for the construction of a wharf and roadway at means approach to the monument to be erected at Wakefield, Va., to mark the birthplace of Washington.

DR. H. M. WHARTON

Made an Address on Missionary Work at the First Baptist Church.

The annual meeting of the City Missionary Society was held last evening at the First Baptist church. Dr. H. H. Harris, of Richmond College, presided, and on the pulpit were seated Rev. George Cooper, W. W. Lamirand, W. L. Wright, George F. Williams, Joel T. Tucker, S. H. Scott, homœopaths of Boston and S. C. Clinton.

There was quite a large congregation present, but the edifice would have been crowded had it been generally known that Dr. H. M. Wharton of Baltimore, who is so popular here, would be there.

The interesting proceedings were opened with an invocation by Rev. Dr. S. C. Clopton, after which a hymn was sung. Dr. W. W. Lamirand then read the sixth chapter of St. John, after which Dr. Harris introduced Dr. Wharton in his chosen vestments. He said that Dr. Wharton had only to present him again to an admiring people.

Dr. Wharton began by saying that he loved to talk upon a theme that needed so much discussion, and that was the work which should be pressed home to the hearts of the people. "Ninety thousand people in Birmingham," he said, "and thirty thousand don't go to church. Fifteen hundred million people in the world dying at the rate of one a second. It is worth our while to think of these facts."

"There is something everywhere. Either the Gospel of Jesus Christ is a failure or there is something wrong with those who should spread it. I would not wish an easier task to prove that it is not a failure. The Christian shows each day that the Gospel is not a failure. God has given us the testimony of the Christians who we see around us."

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